## **EDUCATION FOR MEDICAL MANAGEMENT PROFESSIONALS**

# HOSPITAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

# Concepts and Implications of WMD Terrorist Incidents

This course is accredited as continuing education for healthcare providers, and is presented free of charge by the Office for Domestic Preparedness, U.S. Department of Homeland Security

**Delivered by SAIC** 

Thursday September 22, 2005 8AM to 5PM

## **LOCATION**

California National Guard Joint Forces Training Base (JFTB) 11200 Lexington Drive, Los Alamitos CA 90720 Inside the base, go to Building 6, Room 214

#### **RSVP**

#### There is no registration fee

By fax to 714 960 7806 or email to <a href="mailto:fadi.essmaeel@mail.house.gov">fadi.essmaeel@mail.house.gov</a>

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# **Course Description**

This is an 8-hour seminar of interactive discussion and presentations. It is designed to help healthcare management professionals - including physicians and nurses with management responsibility - assess, mitigate and deal with the medical, physical and economic risks and challenges associated with terrorism involving weapons of mass destruction. The course analyzes, from the hospital perspective, the most significant aspects of preparing for and responding to such an event. This interactive seminar may also benefit fire, emergency medical service, law enforcement and emergency management personnel responsible for coordinating community and hospital response to a terrorist attack or other major emergency.

# **Intended Audience**

The course is intended for hospital executive and middle managers (e.g., service line and department heads) from all components of the hospital: clinical, clinical support, facilities and administrative. Community emergency managers are a welcome additional audience. Clinicians are welcome to attend, although they should understand it is NOT a clinical course.

# **Course features and topics**

- Legal and financial impacts, in addition to clinical considerations, of major terrorist events
- JCAHO requirements for hospitals providing care to victims of hazardous materials incidents
- Hospital liability issues related to hazardous material incidents and major crimes
- Special hazards to healthcare institutions posed by biological, chemical and radiological incidents
- Accessing Federal and State resources for hospital emergency planning and response
- Extensive planning references, including Internet links and sample plans and protocols
- Requirements and planning considerations for post-incident business recovery
- Moderated by experienced healthcare management and clinical professionals

For Further Information, including hotel information, please contact course facilitators
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